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Confidential Records Over a Public Network

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

The subject application is a continuation of USSN 09/410,717. Prior to calculation of the filing fee for the continuation application, Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Specification are found on page 2 of this paper.

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